

WOOD, HERRON & EVANS, L.L.P.

DONALD J. FARR  
DAVID J. JOSEPH  
DAVID S. STALLARD  
J. ROBERT CHAMBERS  
GREGORY J. LUNN  
KURT L. GROSSMAN  
CLEMENT H. LUKEW, JR.  
THOMAS J. BURGER  
GREGORY E. AHRENS  
WAYNE L. JACOBS  
KURT A. SUMME  
KEVIN G. ROONEY  
KEITH R. HAUPT  
THEODORE R. REVAKLUS  
THOMAS W. HUMPHREY  
SCOTT A. STINEBRUNER  
DAVID H. BRINKMAN  
BEVERLY A. LYMAN, PH.D.

OF COUNSEL  
JOHN D. POFFENBERGER  
THOMAS W. FLYNN

200 RANSON TOWER  
441 VINE STREET  
CINCINNATI, OHIO 45202-2317

TELEPHONE: 513-241-2324

FACSIMILE 513-241-6234

EMAIL: info@whpatent.com

PATENT, TRADEMARK, COPYRIGHT  
AND UNFAIR COMPETITION LAW  
AND RELATED LITIGATION

EDMUND P. WOOD 1923-1983  
TRUMAN A. HERRON 1935-1978  
EDWARD B. EVANS 1936-1971

JOSEPH E. COOPER  
B. RICHARD COY  
DAVID E. PRITCHARD

JOHN W. HARTMAN, JR.  
KATHLEEN E. SMITH  
KRISTEN L. DAVIDSON  
P. ANDREW BLATT, PH.D.  
DAVID E. JEFFERIES  
WILLIAM R. ALLEN, PH.D.  
JOHN PAUL DAVIS  
DOUGLAS A. SCHOLEN  
CROTTA SCHATT  
DAVID M. DORTCH  
SARAH OTTE GRABER  
WESLEY L. STRICKLAND (VA, DC BAR ONLY)  
STEVEN W. BENNETT, PH.D.  
RANDALL S. JACKSON, JR.

TECHNICAL ADVISORS  
HENRY M. LAZODA, PH.D.

February 25, 2005

FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

To: Commissioner for Patents

From: Beverly A. Lyman, Ph.D.

Fax: 703 872 9306

Re: Our File: MRD-61  
Serial No. 09/898,887

Pages: 22 (including cover sheet)

MESSAGE/COMMENTS

OFFICIAL FILING

Please file the attached documents:

Amendment - 17 pg.

Declaration - 3 pg.

Petition for Extension of Time - 1 pg.

Certificate of Facsimile Transmission

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being  
deposited via facsimile to Commissioner for Patents,  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, at fax number 703 872  
9306 on

  
Jane A. Walker February 25, 2005  
Date

The information in this facsimile message is ATTORNEY-CLIENT PRIVILEGED, WORK PRODUCT and/or CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION intended only for the use of the individual or entity to whom this message is addressed. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient or the employee or agent responsible for delivering it to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or reproduction of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please immediately notify us by telephone and return the original message to us at the above address via mail. Thank you. If transmission is interrupted or of poor quality, please notify us immediately by calling (513) 241-2324 and ask for the sender's assistant. OUR FAX NUMBER IS (513) 241-6234.